## Code of Conduct City of Wilmington Youth Athletics

The City of Wilmington Youth Athletic activities are made available to youth and adults to enjoy fun and wholesome recreation all programming that teaches character and sportsmanship. City of Wilmington Youth Athletics supports the belief that all recreation programming and experiences should be positive and safe with sportsmanship and enjoyment the primary goals. To achieve these goals, the City of Wilmington Youth Athletics strives to provide a safe environment for participants of these programs and to protect them from harm to the best of our abilities. To that end, all participants and spectators must be held accountable for their behavior and zero tolerance given to intentional violation of the Code of Conduct. The following represents an overview of the City of Wilmington Recreation Division Code of Conduct. Complete copies of the program rules and guidelines as well as the complete code of conduct are available upon request.

## **Expectation:**

- 1. Treat all parties involved with dignity and respect.
- 2. Use appropriate language, tones and volume when communicating. When in doubt, remain silent.
- 3. Become knowledgeable, understanding and supportive of all established guidelines, rules, policies and procedures applicable to related programming
- 4. Recognize/acknowledge City of Wilmington Youth Athletics programming as a privilege that can be rescinded for the greater good.

Unfortunately, aggressive behavior is on the rise in recreational programming. Negative attitudes, verbal abuse of officials, poor sportsmanship, profanity, child predators and violence are casting a negative light in our arena. It is for that reason penalties have been assessed and will be enforces for acts perceived by the City of Wilmington Community Centers as inappropriate.

If a participant is disciplined with out-of-school suspension, he/she is not allowed to practice or plat in any game until they have returned to school in good standing. All participants must be in a good standing at school.

If a participant has been charged with and /or an awaiting adjudication or trail for violating the following offenses, the participants will be banned from all recreation facilities and /or youth programs/events (unless the program/event is specifically designed for law offenders) until official court documentation is presented to the City exonerating participants of the offense:

- 1. Illegal possession or use of a firearm or weapon
- 2. Illegal possession or use of a controlled substance with or without the intent to sell( not including alcohol)
- 3. Assault or attempted assault.
- 4. Murder, Manslaughter, attempted murder, attempted manslaughter.
- 5. Rape, attempted rape, sexual assault, attempt sexual assault, lewd and lascivious behavior, indecent exposure There will be no refund for participants who are disciplined for violating any part of the Code of Conduct for City of Wilmington Recreation Division.

It is the City of Wilmington Youth Athletic sincere desire that situations never warrant the removal of an individual from any activity, event or facility. However, it is our obligation to maintain a controlled, safe and healthy atmosphere from everyone. Recreation activities are designed to foster qualities such as character building, social interaction, enjoyment and relaxation while educating the general public and promoting healthy lifestyles. These activities are not designed to be overly competitive and the City of Wilmington Youth Athletics does not promote the contention.

Parent/Guardian Please Initial: _		



## **Youth Sports Registration Form**

Basketball:				
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	Midget Basketball (12-	-14) 🗌 SLAM Basketball	☐ Basketball	. Camp
Other:				
	T-Ball – MLK Center	☐ T-Ball Maides	☐ Other:	
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